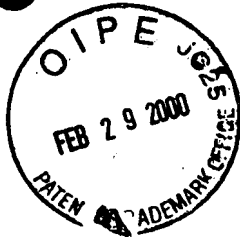


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In Re Application of:

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For: APPARATUS FOR COOLING A HEAT  
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In response to the Advisory Action mailed January 20, 2000, applicant submits this amendment for consideration. In the claims, please cancel claims 12-14, 16-22, 25-27, and 29 without prejudice.

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